

Year 1 Spring Term Curriculum

Animal Kingdom

English

Reading and comprehension

Hot Hippo, Grendel
Handa's Surprise, The Elephant

Writing

Write a short narrative
Write the beginning, middle end of the story
Sentence openers
Predictions
Sequencing
Edit writing
Adjectives
conjunctions

Re- read the sentences to check it makes sense

Music

Play percussion with control
Keeping a steady beat
Responding to changes in tempo music
Pitch - high and low vocal sounds, changes and contrasts, high and low pitches in music
Pitch using the voice and body movements

Big Question: Are animals more dangerous than humans? Why?

Reading

Re-read the text to check it makes sense to the reader
Begin to draw inferences from the text and illustration

PE

Games
Parachute Games
Manipulating and aiming skills
Build roll throw and aim
Moving and controlling the parachute
Work co-operatively as a team to solve problem.

Computing

We are digital artist and we are publishers.
Paint shapes using a range of colours
Draw on screen
Recreate work of various artists
Fill the canvas with a colour
Plan a small multimedia e-book
Choose and import images

Science

Animals and their features.

Feathered animals.
Mammals.
Reptiles.
Herbivores, omnivores and carnivores.
Classifying animals

PSHE

Importance of rules
Respecting ourselves and others
Groups and communities we belong to
Looking after our local environment
Looking after money and the importance of money
Learn about the people who work in our community

Maths

Place value
Number: Addition & Subtraction
Measures: Length & Height
Measures: Weight & Volume

History - Significant people - Rosa Parks

Malala Yousufzai, Mary Anning (Animals)
Use information books/pictures as sources of information

Geography - Map skills – compass directions

Continents and oceans
Where do the animals live?
Hot and cold climates

Art, D&T, Food Technology

Mixing primary colours to make secondary and tertiary colours.
Create different shades of the same colour
Paint in style of famous painter - Steven Brown
Understanding the terms 'lever' and 'pivot' and combine and join materials to make lever mechanisms.

RE

Who is a Christian and what do they believe?
Visit from Christian education project.
How do religions celebrate the birth of a baby?

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Believe in yourself, Learn together, Persevere and Succeed

